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In re Application of: Stewart Correll

Attorney Docket No. 099763/00001

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Signature:

Transmitted herewith is a Response to Office Action submitted in response to the Office Action mailed on April 30, 2002, in connection with the above-identified application. The statutory deadline for responding to this Office Action was July 30, 2002. Accordingly, a check in the amount of \$55.00 to cover a one month extension fee for a small entity is submitted herewith. This extends the period for response to this Office Action to August 30, 2002.

No other fee is believed to be necessary in connection with the filing of this Amendment. The Response does not cause the application to exceed the number and type of claims for which examination fees have been paid. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees necessary to file this Amendment, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-0540.

Dated: August 30, 2002

Respectfully submitted.

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<u>AMENDMENT</u>

This Amendment is submitted in response to the Office Action mailed on April 30, 2002. in connection with the above-identified application. A request for a one month extension of time, extending the deadline for responding to the Office Action to August 30, 2002, is submitted herewith. Accordingly, this Response is being timely submitted. Applicant hereby amends the above-identified application as follows.

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IN THE CLAIMS:

GROUP 3600

Beginning on page 2 is an unannotated copy of the claims. These "clean" claims incorporate all current amendments. Please substitute these replacement claims for the previously pending claims with the same numbers. The current amendments are identified in marked-up versions of the prior pending claims, attached hereto as Exhibit A. Please enter these amendments as incorporated in the clean claims. The absence of a claim indicates that the claim has been cancelled without prejudice.